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The Sabbath Bells.

The old man sits in his easy chair,
And his ear hath caught the ringing
Of many a church bell, far and near,
Their own sweet music singing;
And his head sinks low on his aged breast.
While his thoughts far back are reaching
To the Sabbath morns of his boyish days,
And a mother's sacred teaching.

A few years later and lo! the bells
A merrier strain are pealing,
And heavenward bore the marriage vows
Which his manhood joy was sealing.
But the old man's eyes are dimming now.
As memory holds before him
The sad, sad picture of later years,
When the tide of grief rolled o'er him.

When the bells were tolling for loved ones gone!
For the wife, for the sons and daughters,
Who, one by one, from his home went out,
And down into death's dark waters;
But the aged heart has still one joy,
Which his old life daily blesses,
And his eyes grow bright and his pulses warm
'Neath a grandchild's sweet caresses.

But the old man wakes from his reverie,
And his dear old face is is smiling,
While the child, with his serious eyes reads on.
The Sabbath hours beguiling.
Ah! bells, once more ye will ring for him,
When the heavenly hands shall sever
The cord of life, and his freed soul flies
To dwell with his own forever.

THE BRITISH Wesleyan Methodists at their late Conference in Sheffield reported that they had had a very prosperous year in 1874. Their membership is now 358,052, an increase during the twelve months of 6,012. On the questions of ministers interfering in politics the Conference finally agreed to a resolution declining "to interfere with the action of any minister in the conscientious discharge of his duty as a Christian citizen, so long aa he honourably abstained from introducing divisive political questions into any of our Courts, church gatherings, or public services, and carefully avoids all words and actions which would compromise his brethren or be unbecoming the ministerial office or character." The Methodists are wise in their generation. It may often be impolitic for ministers of the Gospel to meddle with the secular politics of the days. But when men become preachers they do not cease to be citizens, and it would be an unwarrantable interference with their liberty for any ecclesiastical body to lay an embargo either on their thought or speech in this respect.

CROWDING THE MOURNERS.—Mr Shearman, clerk of Plymouth Church and intimate friend of Mr Beecher, as well as associate counsel in the scandal trial, has taken a trip to England, where he is making speeches in vindication of the late defendant. He is an arrant calumniator, as all will agree who read what he says of the American clergy and their practices. In attempting to abate the odium attaching to his friend, pastor and client, he says it is very common in this country for the ministers to salute the female members of their congregation with a kiss, and that Mr Beecher, instead of excelling in that kind of friendship, is rather indisposed to it. This is a calumny so atrocious that no wonder people who care but little for the ministry, but who regard truth and purity of society, indignantly condemn it, while calling attention to the fact that Mr Shearman's record is such as to make his declarations of the least possible value. As the former friend and counselor of the noted James Fisk, Jr., and as a reckless lawyer whose reputation is so bad that he is outlawed by the legal fraternity, he may be fit for clerk in the Plymouth Church and for friend of the "foremost preacher in the world," but he is not qualified to speak for the morality and practices of respectable and religious people.—United Presbyterian.

SOPHISTRY.—You can't get an old shoemaker to blunder. The other day when a weighty woman sailed into a shoe store and selected a pair of No 4's and sat down to have them tried on, the shoemaker saw that she wanted 7's. But he didn't tell her so and start her out of the shop on a gallop. He smiled and softly said:

"Madam all the aristocratic ladies are now wearing shoes three sizes too large for their feet, in order to have cool extremities, and, of course you want to follow the style."

She smiled like a duck in reply to his remark, and replied:

"You are in a position to know best, and I leave everything to your judgment."

When she went out she said she never had such and easy fitting shoe on in her whole life.

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province.

Weeds as Water Purifiers.

Mr. J. J. Mechi writes as follows to the London "Agricultural Gazette:" Into my pond runs a stream of twenty-five gallons per minute of pure water from a drain which I cut twelve feet deep some thirty-odd years ago. The weeds will grow and thrive in this pond, and we have annually to take out large quantities of them. They look very beautiful as they grow in the pellucid water, which is used for household purposes. Said a friend to me one day: "If you had a pair of swans your pond would be free of weeds;" so a kind friend presented me with a pair, and very soon they cleared the pond, pulling the weeds up by the roots and feeding on them. My family were delighted with the garceful swans and the removal of the weedy obstructions to boating; but although the pond was free of weeds, the water was no longer pure and pellucid, but most decidedly muddy in taste, snd when the steam issued from the kettle, the smell of mud was unmistakeble. Well, no one thought it could be the swans, but at last I came to the conclusion, and, despite family and other remonstrances, returned them to their original owner. After a short period the weeds reappeared, and, as they increased in bulk, the water gradually assumed its pellucidity and purity, and "Richard was himself again." What the weeds do for the water and its occupants the land vegetation does for the air; men, animals and other living creatures poison it, while vegetation absorbs the injurious gasses, and reconverts them into wholesome food and fuel for man and beast, filling the atmosphere with that precious oxygen without which men could no longer exist. So it is in the vast ocean, whose living occupants and vegetation probably exceed in quantity that which is on land. We owe to the river vegetation much of the purity of water. It is the excess of impurities from our towns which are beyond its powers of appropriation.

GROWING OLD.—"It is the solemn thought connected with middle life," says the late eloquent F. W. Robertson, "that life's last buisness is begun in earnest; and it is then, midway between the cradle and the grave, that a man begins to marvel that he let the days of youth go by so half-enjoyed. It is the pensive autumn feeling it is a sensation of half sadness that we experience when the longest day of the year is passed, and every day that follows is shorter, and the light fainter, and the feebler shadows tell that nature re is hastening with gigantic footsteps to her winter grave. So does man look back upon his youth. When the first gray hairs became visible, when the unwelcome truth fastens itself upon the mind that he is no longer going up-hill, but down, and that the sun is always westering, he looks back on things behind. When we were children. But now there lies before us manhood, with its earnest work, and then old age, and then the grave, and then home. There is a second youth for man, better and holier than his first, if he will look on, and not look back."

THE report of the General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church, U. S., held in 1874, has only recently been published. It contains the statistics of the three years 1871-4. From these it appears that there were 41 dioceses; 8 missionary jurisdictions; 3,086 bishops and clergy; 241'393 souls in 16 dioceses; 182,359 communicants in 40 dioceses and 8 missionary jurisdictions; 301,587 Sunday school scholars in 40 dioceses and missionary jurisdictions; and $17,964,024 65 were contributed to religious and charitable objecrs in 39 dioceses and 7 missionary dioceses.

UNCERTAINTY OF RICHES.—Of one of the oldest banks of New York it is said that, of one thousand of its best depositors, forty years ago, only six now remain; the rest have failed or died destitute of property. A fact with a deep moral.

PHILIP JAMES, M. D., Physician and Accoucheur of 45 years' experience, offers his services to the inhabitants of Victoria. Extracts Polypus and Cancer without the use of the knife. Rheumatic pains cured in one hour. Pandora street, above the Synagogue.

Mrs. James presents her compliments to the ladies of Victoria as a practical Midwife of 20 years experience. ***

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"I must also beg to say that your Pills are an excellent medicine for me, and I certainly do enjoy good health, sound sleep and a good appetite; this is owing to taking your Pills. I am 78 years old.

"Remaining, Gentlemen, yours very respectfully, L. S."

To the Proprietors of NORTON'S CAMOMILE PILLS, London

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For Sale—To Let.

NOTICE.

THE SPLENDID DWELLING HOUSE OF the late Capt. W. H. McNeill is offered to lease on a term. The House contains Parlor, Sitting and Dining Rooms, 4 Bedrooms, Kitchen and other necessary Buildings, all hard finished, good Stable and Coach-house, sundry Wells of fine Water, and the Orchard and Garden are in good order.

Immediate possession can be given. The Rent will be LOW to a good tenant.

For particulars apply to H. F. HEISTERMAN, Land Agent.
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For Sale.

IN NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT 945 Acres of Rich Delta Land on Lulu Island, viz—Lots 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 in Block 4, North Range 5 West. For particulars apply to M. J. GOODE, Insane Asylum, Victoria, B.C.
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Old Established Brewery and Saloon For Sale.

THE SALOON AND BREWERY OF THE undersigned, established in 1861 and situated on the Esquimalt Road, half-way between Victoria and Esquimalt, is offered for sale low.

The Buildings are well finished and commodious. The plant of the Brewery is most complete. The land comprises about Two Acres all under fence. There are three never-failing Wells of fine Spring Water on the Premises and every appliance for the immediate commencement of Brewing by a Company or Firm with a small capital. Reason for selling, retiring from business.

For particulars apply on the premises.
J. BLAND,
oc17 Half-way House, Esquimalt Road.

TO LET.

ONE OF THE BEST FARMS IN VICTORIA District of about 700 acres of land nearly all under fence, with Dwelling Houses, Barns, Stables Sheds, Outhouses, Orchard, etc., etc., and a stream of water always running, situate about 5 miles from town; part of it is under cultivation.

For particulars enquire of LD. LOWENBERG, Real Estate Agent, Government St., Bet. Fort and Broughton sts.
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NORFOLK FARM, PEDDER BAY, FOR SALE.

THIS FARM CONTAINS 201 ACRES; 70 acres of which are under cultivation.

The Dwelling-house is substantial and contains Eight Rooms. There are commodious Barns, the usual Outhouses, Dairy, etc,

Two neverfailing streams of water course through the farm; one stream will run a mill ten months in the year.

The property will be sold on advantageous terms. Arrangements may be made for the purchase of the Stock and Farming Implements. Apply to A. BUNSTER, Johnson st., Victoria.

Or to E. VINE, On the premises.
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Farm to Lease.

A FARM CONTAINING 160 ACRES OF Land in the Township of Langley, all Prairie, 50 acres are fenced and 15 acres laid down in grass. The productive quality of this land is well known to be the best in the Province. The weight of oats raised from the land last year was 48lbs. per bushel. The whole farm is now under contract to be fenced in. There is a new House containing 4 rooms upstairs with kitchen and dairy attached. The Stock consist of 10 first-class Milch Cows, 2 Yoke of Oxen and 2 head of different ages. The Stock has been selected from the Hudson Bay Company's large herd. The Farm Implements are all new. The whole will be let to a reliable party on advantageous terms.

Apply to the proprietor, H. WARK,
mh7 1mdw H. B. Co., Langley.

Nanaimo Town Lots AT PRIVATE SALE.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN ARE INSTRUCTed by the Vancouver Coal Mining and Land Co. (Limited) to sell at Private Sale several

Eligible Water Frontage and other Lots in Nanaimo.

Map and all particulars can be had on application to PLUMMER & PAGDEN, Auctioneers.
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Plummer & Pagden AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS COMMISSION AGENTS, Wharf Street, Victoria

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf Street, opposite the foot of Yates Street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and by promptness and attention they hope to secure share of the public support.

Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased for cash.

☞ Liberal advances made on Consignments. Books kept or audited, balance sheets made up, tements prepared and a general Accountant's business confidentially transacted. jy4

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REMOVAL!

J. RUEFF & CO., WHOLESALE AND RETAIL Grocers, HAVE REMOVED TO GOVERNMENT St., next door to Stafford & Goodacre's.
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Notices.

John Jenkin Smith,

PAINTER, FORMERLY OF 2, GRAMBY street, Plymouth, England, and late of Vancouver's Island. Information of him will be gladly received by his mother at 49, Keswick street, Plymouth, or by Mrs. C. J. Mahony, 7 Hughes street, Brook street, Manchester, England. au31 1mdw

NOTICE.

PARTIES FOUND IN POSSESSION OF Mules or Horses, BELONGING TO THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY SURVEY, Without written authority after this notice, WILL BE PROSECUTED ACCORDING TO LAW.

By order, MARCUS SMITH,
VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874. de15dw

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to MRS. CRIDGE.
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NOTICE.

DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE from the Province my brother, Mr. Jesse Cowper, holds my Power of Attorney. H. M. COWPER.
Victoria, Aug. 28, 1875. au29

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the firm of Jesse and H. M. Cowper will please hand in the same; and those indebted to the firm will please pay their accounts.

JESSE & H. M. COWPER.
January 21st, 1875. ja22

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me. LD. LOWENBERG
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MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening
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Mr. W. JACKSON,

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Mr. Jackson has opened in connection with his Yates street office

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Notice to Mariners.

THE SHOAL PATCHES OFF THE SAND Spit, "Sidney Island," in "Sidney Channel," represented on the Admiralty Charts as having Two fathoms and Three fathoms at low water ordinary springs, are marked incorrectly.

The Eastern Shoal, or that nearest to the Sand Spit, has but SIX feet, and the Western Shoal but NINE feet of water at low tide ordinary springs.

JAMES COOPER, Agent.
Department of Marine & Fisheries, British Columbia Agency, April 27th, 1875. ap2

Estate of Captain W. H. McNeill, Deceased.

THE DEBTORS AND CREDITORS OF William Henry McNeill, late of Victoria District, Gentleman, who died on or about the 4th day of September, 1875, are requested to pay their debts and send particulars of their claims respectively to R. Williams, Esq., or Capt. Lewis (both of the Hudson Bay Company), the Executors of the deceased, or to MR. E. JOHNSON, Solicitor to the Estate.
Victoria, 16th Sept., 1875. se17dw

Political.

TO THE ELECTORS OF YALE-LYTTON DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—Having the honor to represent your interest in our Legislative Assembly of B. C, for the last four years, I would once more solicit your suffrages. In securing my return to the next local Parliament, I will support the following measures:

The Repeal of the Road-Tax and equalize taxation.

The imposition of a Provincial Pasturage Tax on foreign stock coming into the Province.

A liberal Land Law and free grants of land to actual bona fide settlers.

A speedy settlement of the Indian land question.

A Lien Law, securing to the workingman the just reward of his honest labor on works, public and private.

The opening up of the country by the construction of roads and bridges to facilitate the safe transit of stock and produce to a market.

The educational wants of the district attended to by having public schools established where they are necessarily required.

And if the question should arise demanding from the Canadian Government a fair and reasonable fulfilment of the Terms of Union as regards the Railway covenant, I would support that measure.

I support measures not men.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
se21dw ROBERT SMITH.

Dentistry.

R. B. THOMPSON, DENTIST,

Office, - - - Occidental Building, (Up Stairs,) Cor. GOVERNMENT & FORT Sts., VICTORIA, B. C.
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C. F. Barnard, M. D., DENTIST,

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE: DOUGLAS STREET, Between Dr. Powell's premises and Willson's Tea Store.
Victoria, May 11th, 1875.

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JAMES SYME, ARCHITECT,

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1mjo3 VICTORIA, B.C.

Postal.

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MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., via San Francisco	About the 10th and 25th of each Month	About the 12th and 27th of each month.
Do. via Tacoma	Monday and Thursday 3 P.M.	Tuesday and Friday 9:30 A.M.
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Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday at 6.30 P.M.
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Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

On Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, and Newfoundland, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st Nov., 1874.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.
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MECHANICS'

LITERARY INSTITUTE

PRIZES

For POEM, ESSAY & CONUNDRUM.

THE COMMITTEE OF THE ABOVE INSTITute have the honor to announce that they hereby offer Prizes of Twenty Dollars ($20) each for the best Essay and Poem, together with a Prize of Five Dollars ($5) for the best Conundrum.

Subject for Essay—"British Columbia; her Present Condition and Future Prospects."

Subject for Poem, which is not to exceed 250 lines,—"Lo, the Poor Indian."

Competing candidates are required to send in their papers to the President of the Institute on or before Monday the 4th of October next, with mottoes and sealed envelopes in the usual way; the envelopes containing the names of unsuccessful candidates will be destroyed unopened.

The following gentlemen have kindly consented to act as Judges for the Essay and Poem:—The Hon. Mr. Justice Gray, The Hon. Dr. Ash, M.P.P.; Dr. Tolmie, M.P.P.

A meeting will be held at the Institute on Wednesday evening, the 13th of October next, at 8 o'clock, at which the Awards of the Judges will be pronounced and the successful papers read. The merits of the Conundrum will be decided by the audience themselves. Admission to Hall of Institute, 50 Cts.

—ALSO—

GRAND RAFFLE for REAL ESTATE

Two Acres of Land on the Saanich Road, a short distance from Town, having been generously presented by Dr. Tolmie for the benefit of the Institute, the same will be Raffled at the above meeting, and the winner will receive a Conveyance free of all expense.

Number of Chances 750, at $1 each.

TICKETS for the Raffle may be obtained from the Librarian and from the following members of the Committee:—A. McLean, President; R. Williams, Treasurer; H. K. Woods, Secretary; T. Allsop, Jas. Fell, C. Hayward, A. Wilson, W. Wilson. au19

MINERS, FARMERS, LUMBERMEN, Contractors & others, READ! MARK! LEARN!

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HeH asj Ustr EceIv edAl Arge Loto fgOO dss UiTa Ble forT He FaL la Ndw InTer. Ove Reo Ats a Nd waT terp Roof gOo Dsin gre At vari ety REMEMBER Thes Ego Ods Arem Arke din PLAIN FIGURES att He lowe stpo ss ibleprice for cash and his motto is ONE PRICE & NO ABATEMENT.
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Money on bond and mortgage to loan in sums to suit the demands.

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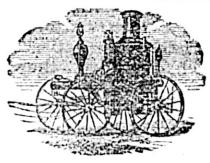

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FOR CHIEF ENGINEER— J. WRIGLESWORTH.
FOR ASSISTANT ENGINEER— JOHN STEPHENS.
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Firemen's Election. CARD.

To the Members of the Victoria Fire Department.

GENTLEMEN:

Having been requested by a number of the members of the Victoria Fire Department to place myself in nomination as a candidate for Assistant Engineer at the coming election, I have now much pleasure in offering myself as an

INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE for the above office.

W. A. CALHOUN, Ex-Foreman Tiger Co., No. 2.
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SUNDAY MORNING, OCT. 3RD, 1875.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

The Minister of Finance.

The mail per City of Panama brought us the "Globe" containing Mr. Cartwright's speech at Napanee in full. We can only find room for that portion of the speech which refers to the question in which we are most deeply and nearly concerned, viz: the Pacific Railway, further extracts after the editorial from the "Globe" (published yesterday) being unnecessary. It will be seen that Mr. Cartwright announces the intention of the Dominion Government to stand by the new Terms, and that he is of opinion that the section of road from the Pacific to connect with the American system at the Lakes can be completed in a period of 20 years from the date of Confederation. Speaking of the promise by the Macdonald Government to build the road in ten years, Mr. Cartwright says:—

"The position practically of the Government is that they ought to be looked upon as the assignees of a morally and politically bankrupt firm, who had to redeem the obligations to which those gentlemen had committed the country as far as possible, and, so to speak, to make the most of the assets entrusted to them; but it is a thing which should never be overlooked, that we ought not in any degree to be held responsible for the initiation of those measures. I never have been able to understand how men of known ability and experience in public affairs could have committed themselves to a project compelling the people of Canada to construct a railroad nearly 3,000 miles in length through a country utterly unsurveyed, and in effect a perfect 'terra incognita,' of which, I believe, they knew less than they did of the interior of Africa. It has been said that they were influenced largely by Imperial considerations, and certainly if any Colonial work had a claim to an Imperial character it was the scheme of a transcontinental railway; but that necessarily involved the duty on the part of these gentlemen to confer with the British Government before undertaking so gigantic a responsibility, and, as you know, there is not the slightest evidence or vestige of proof to show that they deemed it worth their while to ask the Imperial Government to assist in the enterprise, though afterwards, when public opinion had been freely expressed on the subject, they succeeded, by a sacrifice of our just claims for indemnity for the injuries committed on us by American citizens in securing a guarantee in part liquidation of the expenses they expected to incur on that account. The plain fact is that they had not the remotest idea of what they were undertaking, and they did not consult the British Government as to whether they would assist them in the matter; they volunteered to give the people of British Columbia a far greater concession than the latter had demanded, and finally they utterly refused to consent to a reference to the people to ascertain whether they were really willing to undertake so gigantic a work, though Parliament was within a year of its natural dissolution, and though the final vote was carried by a majority so small that I believe the change of the vote of half of the Ministers who voted on it would have defeated it altogether. Now when we were called upon to grapple with this enterprise, these two considerations became very apparent—we might on the one hand have repudiated the matter altogether, and on the other hand, attempted to perform it in its entirety, in accordance with our legal obligations. The Government, after mature consideration, came to the decision that it was morally and physically impossible for he people of Canada to construct this railway in the terms of the contract by which they were legally bound; but that, on the other hand, it was their duty to consider the whole situation, and propose to you a plan by which, although at considerable inconvenience and not without a certain amount of risk, it might be possible on certain conditions to construct the major part of the work if a large extension of time were accorded to us. With respect to the first question, whether the Government were well advised in deciding not to repudiate this undertaking altogether, I think I am justified in saying that there has been a good deal of unwise criticism in certain quarters, where better things might have been expected, as to whether the Government ought not to have utterly repudiated an engagement entered into under such terms or conditions. In any attempt on the part of a Government or country to repudiate an engagement they have once entered into, it is needless to say that very considerable danger to their credit must ensue; and in this particular instance I am perfectly certain that although some present ease and comfort might have been felt, in a very few years the unanimous voice of the people of Canada would have condemned us as cowards and traitors for allowing, without absolute, paramount necessity, the whole project of Confederation to be broken up and rendered useless, as it would have been if our action had led to the secession of British Columbia, or, what might possibly have followed, to the annexation of that Province to the United States. We were responsible not only to you, but to those who come after you, to preserve intact the whole of the Dominion of Canada as it came into our hands. In our case there was no alternative. We must have repudiated the whole or endeavored to the best of our power to redeem and fulfil these obligations. The decision of the Government on that question has been before you for some considerable time. We decided that we would forego the attempt to construct a very considerable portion of the railway—that, namely, which was to run on the north of Lake Superior and Lake Huron—that we would reduce the whole length of the line to be constructed to something like 2,000 miles, would demand something like double the time—practically a good deal more than double what was accorded by the first terms of union—and would annex the condition that we were not to be called upon to perform even this unless it were possible to do it without materially increasing the burdens of the people of Canada. In fact, we stated in most express terms the very thing we are reproached for not doing, for we said that we were willing to do what we could, but were not willing to sacrifice the future of four millions of people for the sake of the inhabitants of British Columbia, though we think we are entitled to call upon you to submit if necessary to some inconvenience, and even to a very heavy expenditure, if by this means we can redeem your obligations. (Hear, hear). I might as well pause to remind you that what we assumed in undertaking the task of colonizing the North-west and British Columbia requires us to develop territories divided from us practically as much as the sea divides us from the Mother Country. In the earlier stages of Canadian history, as you are aware, we were not in a position to contribute much to the Imperial revenue, but were rather a source of Imperial expenditure, and in some degree a source of danger. The position of these territories to us is somewhat similar to ours in former days to the Empire. We cannot expect them to contribute much for some years to come to the general revenue, and for my own part I shall be very glad if they are able to raise sufficient to meet their demands for local purposes. But having undertaken the duty and responsibility of colonizing these countries and providing for their development, it is our bounden duty to do our best to fulfil the contract we made with them. Nevertheless, I have never hesitated to express my opinion that that whole undertaking was premature and unwise, and when I say it is the duty of the Government to carry it out, I desire to add, also, that it was only from a sense of duty that we undertook to complete even the portion of the road we have undertaken to build in the course of the next 20 years. We had the choice of two evils, and we thought it the lesser evil to expose ourselves to a certain risk, and to incur considerable expenditure for a term of 20 years, and I would be the last to deny that the people of Old Canada, including the Maritime Provinces, who joined us in the commencement of Confederation, have taken upon themselves a serious and weighty burden in this matter, but I say, that it is better than repudiation and its consequences. I fully comprehend the sacrfice we have had to ask at your hands. Old Canada was fast becoming one of the wealthiest countries on the face of the earth. There are very few nations which have seen their revenue expand in such a rapid manner as Canada has in the last few years, and I fully admit that you have good cause to be angry that the whole result of this extraordinary prosperity was to land yon in a position which, as I have said, at the best offered but a choice of evils. In proof of this I may state that though it is perfectly true that the revenue of the country has been in a depressed condition for a short time past, and the volume of our exports and imports has shrunk during the last year or two, the people of Canada would be able to deal with this depression with unconcern but for the expenditure they are forced to incur on account of these distant outlying Provinces. Having set before you the position which the Government occupied in respect of the primary responsibility for these measures, I must call your attention to the steps we have taken for the purpose of providing for present wants; and here again I must diverge for a moment to invite your attention to the extreme inopportuneness of engaging to build the Pacific Railway in ten years, terminating in 1881. It so happens that a very large portion of the indebtedness of Canada matures at intervals ranging from 1874 to 1881, and the difficulties of meeting our obligations have been greatly augmented by the disregard of this circumstance. It is true that these debts are at a high rate of interest, and I hope in renewing them we shall be able to do so on better terms, but no worse time could be selected for increasing our demands on the London market than the years in which these debts were maturing. The Public Accounts show that these debts are of very formidable proportions. Now, the position in which I found things when called upon to assume the office of Finance Minister was this:—I found a certain deficit staring me in the face, which Mr. Tilley had acknowledged was likely to occur, and which the figures contained in his own official statement showed he must have fully understood. I found, also, that a very considerable reduction of the total value of our imports was probable, if not that year, at all events in the succeeding year, and I found when I summed up the whole liabilities, the debts which were maturing, the lowest estimate of the liabilities for the Pacific Railway, and for the canals and other matters, that within the space of nine or ten years the people of the Dominion would require to borrow no less than 120 millions—not all fresh debt, but all fresh money to be borrowed. That sum may not strike you at once, perhaps, as forcibly as I should desire it to do, but you will understand how large a sum it was, and how vast a responsibility it imposed on the Finance Minister, if you call to mind that the total indebtedness assumed by the Dominion at Confederation was very little in excess of 80 millions, and so 120 millions represents nearly half as much again as the total debt of the country in 1867.

Mr. Sproat and "Pan."

Yesterday there appeared in our paper a letter from Mr. Sproat. It was written in the happy and sententious style so peculiar to that gentleman, and clothed in language which, if not altogether elegant was nevertheless witty and forcible. The letter was written for the following reasons: A speech of Mr. Sproat's having been mildly criticised by a correspondent signing himself "Pan;" by another signing himself "Citizen," and by a third over the *nom de plume* of "Querist," Mr. Sproat assumed that all three writers were one and the same person, and that person "Pan." Mr. Sproat therefore in his letter of yesterday directed remarks at "Pan" that would scarcely have been justifiable had "Pan" really been the author of the three letters, but, under circumstances which we shall state, were wholly uncalled for. Now we, better than other person, are in a position to say, clearly and unequivocally, that "Pan" is neither "Citizen" nor "Querist;" that he has no acquaintance with or knowledge of "Citizen;" that he has only a slight acquaintance with "Querist," and that he is at this moment ignorant of the name of the writer of either the "Querist" or "Citizen" letter. Further, that "Querist" and "Citizen are not acquainted with each other, and that both are residents of the Province, their attention having been drawn to the controversy through having read Mr. Sproat's speech at Philharmonic Hall, and "Pan's" strictures thereon. Our wonder is that a gentleman of Mr. Sproat's literary attainments and experience should have allowed his imagination to run riot in such a manner as for a moment to lead him to suppose that the three writers referred to—whose style is totally different—are one and the same. Mr. Sproat has doubtless laughed over the amusing farce of "Paddy Miles' Boy," who was charged rightly or wrongly with the commission of every offence committed in his native village. Mr. Sproat's imagination has created a local "Paddy Miles' Boy," and his name is "Pan."

New Advertisements.

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Now in Course of Erection for the

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WILL BE HELD AT THE

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A RED NUNN BUOY has been moored off the Northern extremity of Spanish Bank, English Bay, in seven fathoms at low water.

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Katherine - - - - - - F. M. PHPLPS
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Note—This will be positively the last appearance of the company for the present, as they will leave for the Sound on Tuesday, returning after the Oregon Fair with new attractions.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Dress Circle & Parquette - - - $1 00
Pit - - - - - - - - - 50
Private Boxes - - - - - $8 and $6

Doors open at 7:45, commence at 8:15 o'clock precisely au26

B. C. Agricultural Society.

THE FOURTH ANNUAL EXHIBITION will be held at Philharmonic Hall and Davies & Co's Cattle Yard, Fort street, Victoria, on Thursday, the 7th October proximo.

Family Tickets $2 50 each; can be obtained from the undersigned.

A DINNER and BALL will be given in the Evening. Tickets may be had from the Secretary or any Member of the Committee.

THOS. RUSSELL, Secty.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 13, 1875. se14dw

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To the Boot and Shoe Trade.

OLD COOPER WANTS A TWO OR THREE months' job from 1st November. Address

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CERTAIN PARTIES HAVING CIRCULated damaging reports concerning the Lunch intended to be given on the day of the Fireman's Election. We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that we intend to give a Lunch on that day.

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JOHN STEPHENS,
THOS J. BURNES,
FRANK SAUNDERS,
WM. A. CALHOUN.

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THE UNDERSIGNED IS PREPARED TO buy, sell or trade goods of all descriptions. Parties desirous of discontinuing housekeeping will meet a Cash Buyer on application.

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HAVING REBUILT OUR BATHHOUSES, destroyed by the late fire, the undersigned will open the establishment to the public

This (Saturday) Oct. 2d, 1875.

Every convenience attached to the best Baths on the coast will be found here.

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The Champion Bareback Rider of the World, with his two flying coursers.

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The Incomparable Ella Zoyara, and acknowledged Monarch Horse Trainer of the World, will appear at each performance and exhibit the wonderful power possessed by man over the noble animal.

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Premier Acrobat and Gymnast of the World.

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In their graphic representation of finished Gymnasts exhibiting the training of these athletes.

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The wonderful Equestrian Monkey **JACKO,** whose act of horsemanship would put to shame many men who profess to be riders.

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NOTICE.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, TRADING under the name of H. T. Mann & Co., Fort St., Victoria, do hereby agree this day to dissolve partnership. HENRY THOMAS MANN. HENRY SOAR.

Witness—ROBT. HERON.

The undersigned will collect all debts due to the late firm of H. T. Mann & Co. and pay all liabilities. H. T. MANN.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 22d, 1875. se26

Brahma Fowls For Sale.

100 PURE BRED LIGHT BRAHMA FOWLS. The best layers known. Price $4 each, by JOHN GERRITSEN, Baker and Grocer, Humboldt st., Victoria. se9dw

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Has just returned from San Francisco with a Large and Elegant Stock of

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Here you can find the English Watch direct from England, the Swiss and American Watch, Stem and Key Winders, and the celebrated LANGE WATCH.

ALSO—A Very Large and Handsome Variety of

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And a splendid assortment of New Style of

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Persons intending to buy will be well paid for their trouble by inspecting my Stock, and will find that my prices are so reasonable that everybody can afford to buy. Customers will always find the latest styles of Jewellery at my store, as I have made arrangements to receive a continuous supply.

Thanking the public generally for past favors, I need hardly add that I will try my best to keep up my reputation in Chronometer, Watch and Jeweller work, which I trust I have established here during the last 13 years, and with this promise I hope the public will continue their patronage.

se19 G. W. A. LANGE.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL

H. RUDOLPH,

MANUFACTURING

JEWELER & WATCHMAKER,

Has Removed to Government Street,

OPPOSITE POSTOFFICE, VICTORIA, B.C.

H. RUDOLPH has in consequence of the great increase of his business been compelled to remove to more commodious premises, and in order to have the largest, most choice and complete stock of

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In British Columbia has lately been abroad to make a personal selection and has succeeded in making arrangements with the principal European and American Manufacturers for a regular supply, which enables him to sell at such

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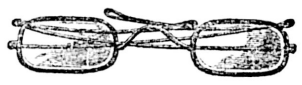

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Orders from the Country faithfully attended to.

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Copartnership Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY ENtered into copartnership and will carry on the business of Plumbing, Gas Fitting, Bell Hanging, &c.

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Are prepared to execute all orders satisfactorily.

J. STEWART, in returning thanks for the patronage extended to him during the past **thirteen years,** begs to assure his patrons that by associating himself with Mr. Braden he has greatly increased his facilities for executing work. se1

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HITHERTO EXisting between Barrington Price and Henry Nicholson, as traders and stock-raisers of Rock Creek and Keremeoos, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. BARRINGTON PRICE. H. NICHOLSON.

Witness—MARION THOMAS.

KEREMEOOS, B.C., Sept. 12th, 1875. oct 1m

SUPPLEMENT

—TO—

CUBERY'S BULLETIN.

Office of Cubery's Purchasing Agency, 414 Market St., San Francisco, Cal.

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 1st, 1875

Having found the above place very desirable for improving health, we have concluded to prolong our visit until Oct. 8th, and we would call attention to the following:

We do not solicit or desire orders for Printing, believing that it is the duty of every community to support their local printing offices, especially when they do as excellent work as is done in Victoria.

A Canvasser will solicit subscribers during the next few days for the **Pacific Churchman,** the only weekly Episcopal paper on the Pacific Coast. Terms $3 per annum.

We are prepared to execute orders for the purchase of all kinds of Merchandise. The Cash must accompany the order, which will enable us to make purchases at the lowest market rates.

Complete arrangements have been made to attend to all foreign goods passing through San Francisco for British Columbia. The duty will be promptly paid and every effort made to see that they reach their destination without delay.

We expect to be at New Westminster Oct. 5th, and visit the business men of that place.

On Oct. 8th we sail for Portland, touching at way ports, and remain there until the 11th inst., when we go to Salem, Oregon. After which we hope to call at the principal places on the Sound and return to Victoria.

We desire to return thanks for the uniform kindness we have received during our visit in Victoria; and while we feel the health-giving climate has greatly benefited us, we realize that the benefit has been increased through the hospitality of the people, who have made us forget, by their kindness, that we were strangers. oct

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FOR SALE.

THAT SUBSTANTIAL TWO-STORY BRICK Building, situated on the corner of Government and Yates streets, known as the Alhambra Building.

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Daily British Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, OCT. 3RD. 1875.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.

MARRIED.

In San Francisco, Sept. 22, at St. Mary's Cathedral, by Rev. Father Accotti, assisted by the Rev. Father Spreckles, Wm. R. T. Pocock, to Cecelia Mel, daughter of John Mel, both of San Francisco.

Passengers per Steamship City of Panama.

The mail steamship City of Panama sailed from San Francisco for Victoria on Tuesday, 28th inst., at 4 p. m., with the following passengers:

Mrs. Plummer, Mrs. Faschon, Mrs. Little, Mrs. F. Collins, D. D. Muir, Mrs. Mendeze and 3 chdn, T. Tenall, A. F. Collins, Mrs. Dowling, W. Hurde, John Scott, G. Miller, W. Powell, D. D. Steward, Miss Smith, Miss N. Smith, Mrs. Bell, Miss Bell, John Adrain, W. Harper, Mrs. F. Schaffer, Mrs. Howe, E. J. Salmon, Mr. Hanson, John Steele, Hugh McGuire, E. G. Breen, Mrs. Condon, D. T. Hanson, Thos. Sharp, Mrs. Sharn, Mary Sharn and 2 chdn, T. J. Clark, Mrs Clark, G. J. Clark, W. Williams, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Gilson, Miss Dunninger, Mrs. Kehoe, Mr. Hulhna, Mr. Oppenheimer and wife, Mrs. Gilson, D. Green, M. Postle, M. Adams, Mr. Morton, P. O'Dwyer, Capt. Harble, Mrs. Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Owen, E. Wheelock, J. Knoph, J. Johnson, P. A. Eakin, Wilson's Circus Troupe consisting of 26 performers, and 12 steerage.

For Port Townsend –3 cabin.
For Seattle—20 cabin and 5 steerage.
For Tacoma—3 cabin.
For Portland—29 cabin and 1 steerage.

John Wilson's Circus

Arrived by the City of Panama yesterday evening. The entrance of this far-famed troupe of Equestrians into any city is the signal for general congratulation and the occasion of universal enjoyment. For weeks beforehand the newspapers have vied with each other in the attempt to give the public the earliest news of their whereabouts, the probable date of their arrival, and the condition of their unequaled troupe. At last, rumor, which has simply said that they may come, merges into the absolute certainty that they will come, the advance agents are seen in the town, the bills are up, the lots marked for the erection of the Circus and popular expectation reaches its highest pitch of tension. The elder people speak of their earlier visits and count the number of star performers they have introduced to their notice. The youngsters petition to go to the show, and the one thing certain is that every man, woman, and child in the community forms the resolution which may be best stated in Davy Crockett's words, "Oh, I'm thar, you kin bet your soul on that." The first performance takes place to-night. The second on Monday afternoon and the third on Monday evening. Be in time and secure your seats at the corner of Douglas and Yates streets. ***

INDIAN CURIOSITIES FOR THE CENTENNIAL.—Yesterday J. G. Swan, Esq., U.S. Special Centennial Commissioner, opened at the Hudson Bay Co's store several cases received by the Otter from Fort Simpson and Bella Bella, containing specimens of Indian manufacture for the Centennial. Several gentlemen were present by invitation, among whom we noticed Dr. Tolmie, Dr. Powell, Indian Commissioner, Mr. Finlayson, Mr. Eckstein, U. S. Consul, Mr. Richards, Q.C., the officers of the Hudson Bay Co., and other gentlemen. The articles displayed consisted of masks, dancing dresses, richly embroidered mantles, a head-dress with ermine mantle, trumpets, whistles, rattles, castanets, drum, specimen salmon net made of native twine prepared from the fibre of the common nettle, baby-cradle, painted boxes, fish-hooks, fish-lines, ancient stone chisels, hammers and mauls, gamblers' implements, drinking cups, warclubs, daggers, knives, bowls, dishes, and other articles too numerous to mention. The gentlemen present pronounced it the finest collection of Indian curiosities they had seen and, taken in connection with the mammouth canoe, it is a collection of which the Commissioner may well be proud and one which reflects much credit on his indefatigable exertion and enterprise in collecting. Mr. Swan informs us that he has an equal amount of curiosities at Port Townsend which he collected at Alaska. These two collections displayed at the Centennial Exposition will be objects of much attraction and will afford an insight to the customs of the natives ot the Northwest Coast. Mr. Swan is expecting still further shipments from the North, to be brought by the steamers Otter and California on the next trip.

THE ELECTIONS.—The *Standard* has again forecast the political complexion of the members elected to the new House. Will it *never* have done? It ought to be nominated Keeper of the Members' Consciences. Amongst others it claims as a Government man Mr. Williams of Esquimalt; yet everyone knows that Mr. Beaven and Mr. DeCosmos passed election day at Parson's Bridge working for Messrs. Weir and Foster, the Government candidates. It claims Mr. Bryden of Nanaimo, yet there is a letter in existence from a member of the Government advising a certain party at Nanaimo on no account to vote for Bryden. It says Mr. Fisher is an Independent; yet it is on record that the Attorney Genoral went through Esquimalt District and besought the electors "for God's sake to send anyone but Fisher." It claims Mr. Pimbury as an Independent; yet the Attorney General told the people of Cowichan that he was in Opposition. But the most extraordinary part of the article is where Mr. Brown of New Westminster is stated to be a Government supporter—a follower of Mr. Armstrong! No matter what the organ may say to the contrary it will be found that the claim of seven Reformers for the Island is *under* rather than *over* the real number; for we have reason to believe that ten out of the twelve members chosen on the Island will be found in opposition to the Government when the House meets.

THE Canadian Pacific Railway offices will be removed to the new location on Government street to-morrow.

New Westminster District

[Guardian.]

INQUEST.—Coroner Trew proceeded to the Mission to hold an inquest on the body of a man found in the river. It was thought that it might be the remains of the man Greaves who fell overboard from the Royal City, but it was stated that decomposition was very far advanced, giving rise to the impression that it might be the body of Mr. Sicker who disappeared from the Chilliwhack.

I. O. OF G. T.—At the meeting of Dominion Lodge, No. 57, held Saturday evening last, Bro. Wm. A. Handcock, representative to the Grand Lodge, reported that the G. Lodge have granted his request and will send a Lecturer through this portion of the Province at an early day; at the election of officers for the G. Lodge, Bro. Handcock was elected Grand Worthy Councillor for the ensuing year, and was also appointed District Deputy for the Mainland—the Mainland being designated as District No. 1. A vote of thanks was tendered by the Lodge to Bro. Handcock. Bro. James Beer was re-appointed Lodge Deputy for the ensuing year.

WILSON'S CIRCUS.—This great establishment was opened on the corner of Douglas and Yates streets last evening. The tent was crowded and from first to last the performance was an unqualified success. The horses are among the best trained in the world, having belonged to the famous Charini stud. They seem to be able to do everything but talk, and their performances are really wonderful. Mlle Linda acquitted herself with great grace on horseback, and Master John Lee in the bareback act is immense. Mr. Stevens, the great acrobat and gymnast; Mlle Herbert, the accomplished equestrienne, Mlle Tampier, the premiere equestrienne; the sparkling wit of Bob Johnson, and the extraordinary antics of the trained monkey Jocko, contributed to make the show the best ever here. The entertainment was under the able management of Mr. Omar Kingsley, the great bareback rider and horse trainer. There will be a performance at 2 o'clock to-morrow and another in the evening. On Tuesday morning the circus will start for Nanaimo.

INDIAN JEWELERY. — Dr. Powell, Indian Commissioner has received from Mr. Sullivan, Gold Commissioner of Cassiar mines, some fine specimens of Indian workmanship, consisting of two pairs of gold bracelets, one made of coin gold and the other from Cassiar gold dug on the spot, four silver napkin rings and one pair silver bracelets. All of these articles are beautifully engraved with Indian designs and were made at Cassiar by a Hydah Indian for Mr. Swan, U. S. Commissioner, to be exhibited at the Centennial. Dr. Powell has intimated his intention of having these beautiful articles burnished and placed on exhibition in Mr. Rudolph's jewelery store, Government street. Mr. Swan informs us that he has a large lot of silverware in Port Townsend which he collected in Alaska, which added to this lot will make a splendid collection for the Philadelphia Exposition.

THE Opposition paper in Victoria—taking its cue from the little paperling over the way—abuses Mr. Kennedy like a pick-pocket. Considering that Mr. Kennedy is on their side, and has said nothing to justify their scurrility, this is rather hard.—*N. W. Herald.*

What we said was that if the report in the *Herald* was to be believed, Mr. Kennedy made an *intemperate* speech. If to say that is to abuse a man like a pickpocket, they must have queer ideas of what abuse is at Westminster. If you have any fault to find, Mr. Kennedy, blame the *Herald*.

THE steamer Enterprise arrived at 3 p. m. yesterday from the Mainland with the following passengers: Mr. and Mrs. Thain, Mrs. McInnes, Mrs. Duhig, Miss Williams, Miss McInnes, Capt. Cooper, Rev. Mr. McGregor, T. B. Humphreys, U. Nelson, T. Ellis, and Messrs. Sargison, Tuckfield, Simpson, Boyd, and Potter. She also brought 61 head of cattle from Okanagan, 50 cases of salmon, the mails, and Barnard's Express.

THE steamship City of Panama came round from Esquimalt yesterday morning and discharged passengers and freight. This morning at daylight she sailed for Puget Sound ports, whence she will go to Wellington and take in a cargo of coal, sailing from Victoria for San Fancisco about the 10th inst. Purser Rooney has our thanks for important favors.

RETURNED.—Mr. P. O'Dwyer, our old-fellow-citizen, returned yesterday from a 5 years and a half trip to the Fiji, Friendly, Sandwich, and Navigator Islands, Australia and New Zealand, looking well and hearty. We are indebted to Mr. O'Dwyer for the melancholy details of the death and burial of Commodore Goodenough. Mr. O'D. will return to the Fijis with his family.

ALARM.—About 7 o'clock last evening the fire-bells rang an alarm and the Deluge and Tiger Co's with the Hook and Ladder turned out in instanter, and for a few moments all was bustle and excitement. But the alarm proved false and the commotion subsided as quickly as it began.

BALL TO THE FLEET. — A ball will be given at Philharmonic Hall, on the 12th inst., to Admiral the Hon. A. A. Cochrane, R. N., C. B., and Staff, and to the Captains and Officers of the Fleet at Esquimalt. There will be a large assemblage and our gallant and hospitable friends will be warmly welcomed.

A BALL and supper were given on Friday by the members of the Glee Club at Gymnasium Hall, View street. About forty couples were present, and a very pleasant evening was spent to the music of Prof. Haynes' band.

WATER.—We hear that it will be necessary to turn the water off at the main on Monday to allow a new pipe to be put in on Douglas street. All had better provide themselves with a stock while they have a chance.

THE steamship Gussie Telfair will leave Portland on Monday for Victoria, Wrangel and Sitka. The steamship California will sail from Portland on Thursday for Port Townsend, Seattle, New Westminster, Victoria and Wrangel.

THE Cricket Match between Victoria and Fleet Elevens, yesterday, was won by the former.

THEATRE ROYAL.—The play of Mazeppa last night proved a great success. In spite of the competition of the Circus a full house assembled to witness Miss Zoe Gayton's performance in her favorite character, and their satisfaction was shown by frequent bursts of applause during the progress of the piece and a unanimous call before the curtain at its close. Mr. J. A. Herne made a venerable looking Abder Kahn, and was loudly applauded when returning thanks to Heaven for the discovery of his son Mazeppa, and also when defying the traitor Thamar (Mr. Bird). Mrs. Phelps played Olinska and the remainder of the parts were ably sustained by the Company. Mrs. Phelps takes a benefit to-morrow night when we hope to see the theatre crowded to witness the last performance of this talented Company. See the advertisemen .

ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL.—A bazaar will be held at Philharmonic Hall on Wednesday, November 9th, and two following days, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the aid of that most worthy and deserving project, the St. Joseph's Hospital. Could there be a nobler object than that proposed to be carried out in the establishment of this Hospital? We say unhesitatingly, no; and we earnestly ask the people of all denominations to come forward and assist by their countenance and means this great charity. "Who giveth to the poor lendeth to the Lord."

THE movements of the Circus troupe will be as follows: Perform at Nanaimo on Tuesday, 5th; at Port Townsend on the 6th; Port Gamble, on the 7th; Seattle, on the 8th; Olympia, on the 9th; Kalama on the 10th. The Circus will open at the Oregon State Fair on the 12th.

THE ISLAND SURVEY.—The Harris party have located the line to the head of Saanich Inlet, and their exploratory lines extend six miles further on.

THE salaries of Custom House officers at San Francisco have been reduced from 15 to 20 per cent.

By Electric Telegraph.

EXCLUSIVE TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Eastern States.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—A man, giving his name as Chas. Adams, of Buffalo, yesterday, bought a cargo of grain from Beecher & Sprague for $3,325, paying for it by a certified check on the Bank of New York for $50,000, and received a check for the difference. When Beecher & Sprague brought themselves to inquire as to the genuiness they found it a skillful fraud. Adams escaped without receiving the amount of change.

Jay Gould, Sydney Dillon and several other of the Union Pacific Railway directors will leave this city this evening for the west, for the purpose of thoroughly examining the Union Pacific Railroad, and making improvements wherever feasible.

Gold closed at 16⅞ & 17.

The Boston "Evening Journal" says it is reported that Sheppard, Hall & Co., extensive lumber dealers of this city, have suspended with liabilities amounting to about $1,500,000.

Dispatches from London, received at the office of the Direct Cable Co., states that the steamer Faraday will leave there on Wednesday to repair the break in the cable. The Company states there is no truth in the report that an agreement has been made with the Anglo Cable Co. on the subject of tariff.

Europe.

VIENNA, Oct. 1.—A dispatch says Servia has summoned all her subjects abroad to return within 3 weeks and join the landwehr.

LONDON, Oct. 2.—Accounts of the fight at Klekek are conflicting. The "Daily News'" special from Ragusa says three battalions of Turks were totally defeated, and 600 killed.

Calfornia.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—The executive committee of the San Francisco Stock and Exchange Board met today, and resolved that the Board should be opened for the transaction of regular business on Tuesday next at 11 a. m. The Pacific Exchange will open for business at 10 a. m. on the same day. The apartments in the Nevada block, designed for the Nevada Bank and First National Bank, will be ready for occupation to-morrow.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 2—The Bank of California opened at 10 a. m. to-day amid the cheers of a multitude of people. Salutes are being fired in honor of the event. Good feeling prevails, and money is flowing in.

Steam Book and Commercial Printing.

At the BRITISH COLONIST office three steam power presses are kept constantly in motion turning out the best class of printing at the lowest possible rates. New syles of type are received by every arrival. Call and see specimens. *

OPENING.—A. B. GRAY & Co. are now opening out a large assortment of new goods received per Vasco De Gama, amongst which are. Fine line of black silks and black silk velvets, kid gloves, lace shawls, 100 boys and youths tweed suits, childrens merino Holland frocks and pelisses in great variety, new flowers, millinery ornaments, trimmed hats, girls costumes, fine paisley shawls, sash ribbons, summer skirts, hem stitch and lace handkerchiefs, new shades in French merino and Empress cloths, Russell infants embroidered robes, gentlemens furnishing goods, &c. &c., together with a fine supply of trade staples.—ALBION HOUSE, Government Street. *

NOTICE.—All *Watches, Jewelry, &c.*, left with the undersigned for repair for a period of over one year, must be called for within *thirty days* or they will be sold according to law. J. L. JUNGERMANN.
Government street, Victoria, Sept, 24th.
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Poisoned Arrows.

Commodore Goodenough, of the British Navy, Killed by Savages in the South Pacific.

SYDNEY, Aug. 28.—H.M.S. Pearl arrived here this morning, having on board the bodies of Commodore Goodenough, the senior naval officer on the station, and two seamen, who had died from wounds received during an attack by natives at the island of Santa Cruz.

The Pearl was visiting the South Sea Islands for the purpose of obtaining information in regard to the natives, and the possibility of establishing friendly relations with them. On the 12th instant she was off Carlisle Bay, Santa Cruz Island, and, leaving his ship in the offing, the Commodore landed, accompanied by some officers and men, in the hopes of conciliating the natives and opening friendly intercourse with them. The natives assembled in goodly numbers on the beach, and accepted the presents offered them in an apparently friendly spirit, and appeared to be willing to barter. The Commodore and some others entered the village, and for some time mixed freely with the natives, who showed no signs of hostility until preparations were being made to embark. While the Commodore and one or two others remained near the the village a native standing near him fired an arrow which struck the Commodore in the side, and before any arms could be reached, all of which were in the boats, several flights of arrows were discharged at the party, wounding five men and the Commodore again slightly in the head. A few revolvers and rifles were fired to stop the attack, which was entirely unprovoked, and one native fell.

After returning to the ship, the Commodore determined that he would show his disapproval of the treachery by simply burning the houses of the village near which the attack was made, but gave most explicit orders that no life should be taken, and directed that blank cartridges should be fired to warn the natives away previous to the men landing.

It is impossible to assign any certain cause for this sudden attack, though perhaps it may be accounted for by supposing a constant hostility to the visits of strangers to exist in the minds of these particular islanders, who have shown almost always the same spirit towards vessels visiting them, having been provoked by some previous outrage by white men.

After the outrage, the Pearl at once proceeded southward to get into a cooler climate, as being more favorable for the wounded, and having touched at Mota, in Banks' Group, to leave directions for H. M. S. Nymphe, should she call there, the Pearl proceeded towards Sydney. For the first few days the wounded were all doing well, and great hopes were entertained that they would recover; but after five days, symptoms of tetanus appeared in three cases, and gradually increased. On Thursday night a seaman named Edward Rayner, who received a wound in the shoulder, died; and on the next evening, at half-past 5 o'clock, the Commodore died; and early on the following morning a seaman named Frederick Small, who had been severely wounded in the head, followed. The other three wounded are doing well.

The "Argus" editorially says of the above: In our telegraphic columns will be found the melancholy news of the death of Commodore Goodenough and two seamen of H. M. S. Pearl at the hands of the savages of Santa Cruz, an island 700 or 800 miles northwest of Fiji, and near to the island of Nukanu, in the same group where Bishop Patteson was killed. The poisoned arrows of these natives have proved fatal to many white men. It may be remembered that Bishop Patteson lost three of his native pupils by this means on one occasion, and that when H. M. S. Rosario was engaged in avenging the Bishop's murder, Corporal Marcus received his death-wound in like manner, while some scores of white traders have been killed in the same way. The nature of the poison is unknown to Europeans, and it appears that nothing can be done to avert its deadly effect. A victim who has even received but a slight wound keeps in pretty good health until the fifth day, when tetanus sets in. From that moment there is no hope; the sufferer undergoes some hours of horrible torture, and dies.

On the day following the arrival of the Pearl at Sydney, the Commodore and the two seamen, whose remains had been brought on by the ship, were buried at St. Bernard's, on the north shore of the harbor. The funeral was a public one, and was attended by thousands of people, including His Excellency the Governor, the members of the Ministry and of both Houses of Legislature, and nearly all the leading citizens of Sydney. There was a large number of naval, military and volunteer forces. The Commodore and his men were buried, as one might say, in the same grave—for the remains were laid in parallel graves, that of the Commodore being the central one. It was most affecting to see Mrs. Goodenough with her two fatherless boys clothed in sailor costume taking part in the procession, and bearing wreaths of flowers to be laid on the coffin of a husband and a parent. The lamentable occurrence which has caused the death of a brave and valuable officer created a most painful sensation in the neighboring Colonies; and a letter of condolence was sent by telegraph from Queen Victoria to Mrs. Goodenough, who is her god-daughter. The impression is that this outrage on the part of the natives of Santa Cruz is due to revenge for injuries inflicted upon them by other whites connected with Polynesian labor-vessels.

SYDNEY.—Salmon, pickled, 7 cents; in cans, $1 87½ per dozen.

Australia.

QUEENSLAND.

A four foot seam of coal has been discovered on the Brisbane River, about 25 miles from the capital by water.

Men engaged in dam making have discovered two graves, at Saltpan Creek. The skeletons were first pronounced to be those of aborigines, but afterwards they were thought to be the remains of two the explorer Leichhardt's party.

It is the attention of the Queensland Government to carry the railway into the heart of Brisbane by resuming certain grounds which had been granted to the Grammar School.

The sugar crop for the current season is expected to be about 10,000 tons.

Eleven furnaces are now at work at the Peak Downs Copper Mine.

A further sum has been voted by the Assembly toward the construction of a graving dock at South Brisbane.

The "Ophelia" has arrived from London with 416 immigrants.

VICTORIA.

Mr. Kesford's Ministry was defeated on its fiscal policy in the early part of the month, and has resigned.

Another Ministry has been formed, as follows: Mr. Graham Berry, Chief Secretary Treasurer; Mr. Lalor, Commissioner of Trade and Customs and Postmaster-General; Major W. C. Smith, Minister of Mines; Mr. Longmore, President of the Board of Land and Works and Minister of Agriculture; Mr. Munro, Minister of Education; Mr. Woods, Minister of Railways; Mr. Patterson, Commissioner of Public Works; Mr. Trench, Attorney-General; Mr. Grant, Minister of Justice. The re-elections are taken place.

The population of Victoria on the 30th of June was 813,583 persons.

A. GILMORE

Wishes to inform his friends and the public that he has removed to his New Store, Government Street, opposite the Bank of British Columbia, where he wishes to meet his old Customers and many new ones; and has just opened a large Stock of New Goods.
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NORTH & SOUTH SAANICH
AGRICULTURAL & HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY
WILL HOLD THEIR
ANNUAL EXHIBITION
AT THE NEW HALL,
—ON—
Tuesday, October 5th, 1875.
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FIRE DEPARTMENT ELECTION.

NOTICE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS of the "Firemen's Protection Act, 1861," notice is hereby given that an Election for Chief and Assistant Engineers of the Victoria Fire Department will take place on **Monday, the 4th day of October next,** at the House of Tiger Engine Company No. 2, on Johnson street, and in accordance with a resolution passed by the Board of Delegates, Ballot Papers will be prepared by the Secretary for the Election, and all members whose names appear on the 50-day roll will be entitled to vote.

The Poll will be open at 10 a.m. and close at 4 p.m.
E. GRANCINI,
President V. F. D.
Victoria, Sept. 29, 1875. se24

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

Mrs. Maynard's
NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY
CORNER OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STREETS
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On hand and for sale Views of British Columbia and Vancouver Island. Also, all kinds of Photographic Material.

As the New Gallery is well lighted I will guarantee satisfaction to all who will favor me with their patronage. jy23

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BOOT, SHOE AND LEATHER STORE
TO THE COR. OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STS.
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BOOTS AND SHOES.
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OILCLOTH from ¼ to 6 yards wide,
CARPETS, COCOA MATTING,
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WALLPAPER,
From 12½ cents to $2 50 a Roll, English Length.
Also on hand and made to order by competent persons,
SPRING MATTRESSES, LOUNGES, PARLOR SETS,
Carpets Sewed and Laid
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ABOUT ONE OR TWO ACRES OF GROUND suitable for a residence, about 15 minutes' walk from the Postoffice.
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Apply to THOS. TROUNCE,
At his office, Kane st.
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Nurse Wanted.

A FEMALE NURSE TO ATTEND UPON a sick family can find employment at FIVE Dollars per day by immediate application to
se24 MAYOR DRUMMOND.

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A GIRL AS CHAMBERMAID AND TO assist with Children. Apply to
MRS. A. J. LANGLEY,
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FOUR A. B. SEAMEN FOR EUROPE via Portland. Apply at the
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A GOOD WOMAN TO DO CHAMBER work and take care of children. For particulars apply to
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A RESPECTABLE MARRIED WOMAN is open for an engagement by the day, either to nurse or cook. Twelve years in Victoria. Apply to
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TO THE LADIES OF VICTORIA.

The undersigned will sell the Balance of his Stock of Knickerbockers, Youths Clothing, Etc., at Cost Prices.

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Government Street, next door to the St. Nicholas.
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Under the Patronage of
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TO THE
COWICHAN
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THE STEAMER
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Will sail from the Hudson Bay Co's wharf on
Saturday, Oct. 9th, at 7:30 a. m.
RETURNING SAME EVENING.
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Schaffer's Full Brass and String Band will be in attendance. se28

Water. Water.

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ON AND AFTER THIS DAY THE
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Four Horse Omnibus will run between
Victoria & Esquimalt
Leaving Victoria from the Post Office at 7 A. M., 11 A. M., and 4 P. M.
Leaving Esquimalt at 9:30 A. M., 2 P. M. and 5 P. M.
FARE - - - - - 50 CENTS.
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THE UNDERSIGNED IS FULLY PREPARED to
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At Prices Lower than any other firm in the City.
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REMOVAL.

MRS. HALPENNY TAKES THIS OPPORTUNITY of returning thanks for the patronage so liberally bestowed upon her during the past six months and of informing her patrons and the public that she has removed from Fort street to YATES ST., next door above Mrs. Bowman's, where she will continue the
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Victoria, B.C., Sept. 9, 1875. se10

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Political.

TO THE ELECTORS OF YALE-LYTTON DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—In accordance with a request of many of your number, I beg to offer myself as a candidate for your suffrages at the ensuing general election.

In doing so I base my claims on your support upon the fact of my lengthened residence amongst you as a bona fide settler, having an intimate and, I trust, an intelligent appreciation of the wants and requirements of the district, and that my sole interests being identical with your own is the best guarantee that those wants will be faithfully attended to.

As a duty devolving on a candidate in publishing an address, I will proceed to review the more important questions of the day, and of these that of the Railway occupies the foremost place, as thereon depends to a great extent the future of the Province and our hopes of immediate prosperity, and as the tone of Canadian exchanges indicate a reopening of the whole question I shall hold that no terms are admissable that do not secure an early and vigorous commencement of through construction, not only at the coast but also at one or two given points in the interior.

Whilst admitting the progressive character of the Walkem administration in opening up the country, I claim that a very considerable curtailment of expenditure would retard our progress but little and at the same time engender a future of greater security and relief on the part of those upon whom the burden of this expenditure will eventually fall—that is the property holders.

That the Road Tax Extension Act be repealed and a tax on a more equitable basis substituted.

That the Boarding School principle being accepted as a success, the system be extended to other parts of the Province.

That if possible to obtain a modification of the Tariff, definite action be taken to do so, and also that an additional tax be imposed on all imported live stock.

The above I consider are some of the more important questions likely to engage the attention of the next House and the adoption of which I believe essential to the welfare of the Province.

Should I have the honor to be returned as one of your representatives, that Government only should receive my support whose policy favored their becoming law, and I further beg to assure you that all other questions that might arise would have my best attention and be treated from the standpoint of mutual interest irrespective of party parentage.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
JAMES ROSS.

THOMPSON RIVER, Sept. 18th, 1875. se21dw

To the Electors of Lillooet District.

GENTLEMEN:—I am a candidate for the representation of our district in the Provincial Parliament.

Though I have never taken an active part in politics, I have watched with much interest the development of Responsible Government under the manipulation of Mr. Walkem and his colleagues. The result has, on the whole, been disastrous to the Province and discreditable to the administration I therefore stand in opposition to the present ministry.

I cannot possibly visit you each in person; but you will probably afford me opportunities of discussing political affairs with you publicly in my visits to the various points of the district.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
J. MARTLEY.

PAVILION, 17th Aug., 1875. au24dw

To the Electors of Yale District.

GENTLEMEN:—As a general election for members to represent you in the Local Parliament of this Province is about to take place, I have determined, in accordance with a very general request of the electors of your District, to offer myself as a candidate.

The early date at which I hear the elections are to be held will prevent my meeting you personally, as I had intended. I therefore take this opportunity of giving you my views on some of the most important questions that are likely to occupy the attention of the next Legislature.

The Indian question I consider of the greatest importance, and one that should be attended to at the earliest possible moment. Living, as I do, amongst a portion of the most discontented, I speak with authority when I say that unless a speedy settlement is arrived at, consequences of a very grave nature are likely to arise. The Indians are not unreasonable in their demands; what they want is a fair settlement, and I cannot see why this should not have taken place almost immediately after Confederation.

The school system of this Province I consider good, and with the success apparent that has attended the boarding school at Cache Creek, I would advocate a further expenditure in that direction, and consider that Kamloops and other portions of this large Province should have institutions erected of a like character.

The formation of Agricultural Societies throughout the Province, you are aware, I have for some time advocated, and I would support any measure giving a liberal grant of money to aid such societies. It will be the means of bringing farmers and stock-raisers together, of comparing stock and inducing the importation of good blood.

The early commencement of the Railway on the Mainland of British Columbia is of the greatest importance to the settlers in this section of our Province.

The late negotiations that have taken place with regard to a relaxation of the Terms of Union I have been opposed to, and consider that under no circumstances should they have been entered into without consulting the people. They have, happily for us, been unsuccessful, but as it is reported that fresh negotiations are likely to take place and the question must be considered at an early date by our Local Government, I would support no Government who in treating with the Dominion Government did not insist on an early commencement of railway construction on the Mainland, and an equal distribution between Vancouver Island and the Mainland of any compensation that might be offered for the nonfulfilment of the Terms of Union. I consider that should fresh negotiations take place some arrangement should be come to with the Dominion Government by which our Tariff should be so modified as to give us some protection for our stock interest.

Should you, gentlemen, do me the honor of electing me as one of your representatives, I shall feel it always my duty to advocate the expenditure of public monies on public works as far as the revenue of the Province will allow, but that only on works of a reproductive character.

I consider that the Government of the Province should be carried on with the strictest economy compatible with public efficiency; that taxation should be equalized so that the rich man pay his fair proportion with the poor, which is not the case now. I trust that these views will be acceptable to you, and should you return me as one of your representatives, I shall endeavor at all times to obtain your views on all public questions, and thus be enabled to act according to the well understood wishes of my constituents.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
J. F. ALLISON.

OKANAGON, Sept 7th, 1875. se17dw

New Canadian Tariff.

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RESULTS COMMUNICATED IN REPORT BY THE DIRECTORS.

Amount Proposed for Assurance during the Year 1874 (2001) Proposals	£1,322,935 18 0
Amount of Assurances accepted during the year 1874 (1671) Policies	£1,088,665 18 0
Annual Premiums on New Policies during the year 1874.	£35,891 17 1
Claims by Death during the year 1874, exclusive of bonus additions	£336,644 7 11
Amount of Assurances accepted during the last five years	£5,720,334 19 10
Subsisting Assurances at 15th November, 1874, (of which £986,103. 12s. is Reassured with other offices)	£17,779,363 2 6

REVENUE, £733,111 19s. 9d. per annum.

ASSETS, £4,821,005 17s. 10.

A Full Report of the proceedings at the meeting and all further information may be obtained on application at the Agency of the Company.

SPENCER C. THOMPSON, Manager.
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